SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 783 By Clabough

A RESOLUTION to recognize Miss Kasi Gooch, 2000 Valedictorian of Seymour High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kasi Gooch is one such exceptional student who recently was named valedictorian of the 2000 graduating class at Seymour High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Miss Gooch has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students of Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kasi has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her dedication to academic excellence, Kasi has served with acumen as Brass Captain in the Seymour High School Band, sharing her innumerable musical talents; and

WHEREAS, a civic-minded individual, she served as a DARE Role Model, and is a valued member of the Drug Free Club; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gooch's many accomplishments include participating in the Governor's School, and being honored as a National Merit Commended Student; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gooch's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; as she plans to attend Lincoln Memorial University and major in Education; and

WHEREAS, Kasi's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jack and Rita Gooch, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gooch's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2000 Seymour High School Valedictorian, Kasi Gooch, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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